

## House Resolution No. 3160

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State middle school athletic programs that truly embody the highest standards of sportsmanship, teamwork, training, and perseverance throughout the competitive season; and

**Whereas**, Fair Grove Middle School sponsors an Eagles basketball program whose boys team completed a perfect 14-0 season and captured top finishes at the Strafford and Pleasant Hope tournaments during the 2007-2008 school year; and

**Whereas**, astutely guided by coach Rick Scholten, the 2007-2008 Fair Grove Middle School boys basketball team consisted of Michael Thomas, Mason Suber, Brock Derrick, Jared Vickrey, Talon Bates, Joe Stafford, Josh Lilley, Deric Link, Sawyer Padgett, Chris Hodges, and Zach Smith; and

**Whereas**, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse legislative actions in order to acknowledge milestone events in the histories of such impressive middle school sports programs as that at Fair Grove Middle School:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the history, goals, and accomplishments associated with the Fair Grove Middle School basketball program and to convey this legislative body's most heartfelt congratulations to the 2007-2008 boys team for garnering a perfect season and two tournament trophies; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of the Fair Grove Middle School basketball program.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Shane Schoeller  
District No. 139

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,  
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 3160, adopted May 16, 2008.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker